



Lit up!

May 2017

Upcoming Events:

- Honors Day: May 2nd, 2017
- University-Wide Commencement will be held Friday, May 23th at 10:00 AM
- College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences Convocation: Sunday, May 14th, 2017
(Mother's Day) at 9:00 AM at NRG Stadium
 - Summer Session I: June 5th, 2017-August 11th 2017
 - Summer Session II: June 5th, 2017-July 6th, 2017
 - Summer Session III: June 5th, 2017– July 26th, 2017
 - Summer Session IV: July 10th, 2017-August 9th, 2017
 - Summer Graduation Application Deadline: July 7th, 2017

Department News and Accolades:

The time is upon us once more to celebrate the outstanding achievements of students in the Department of English. This year, Dr. Lacy Johnson will address our award winners and graduates. Dr. Johnson received her Ph.D in Creative Writing from UH and is currently an assistant professor of English at Rice. Her most recent book, *The Other Side* (Tin House, 2014), was a finalist for the National Book Critics Circle in autobiography.



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Advising Updates:

End Of Semester Walk-in Advising:

Walk in advising concludes after the week of May 1st. Advisors will have scheduled appointments throughout the summer. At the beginning of the Fall 2017 semester, walk-in advising will be available during the first two weeks of classes.

Enrollment

Enrollment for Summer and Fall 2017 is now open.

Fall 2017 Course Descriptions:

Fall 2017 listings and course descriptions are now available online.

Holds: Now in effect!

Senior:

Anyone with 90+ credit hours is considered a senior at the University of Houston and is subject to the Senior Advising Hold which is placed around the second month of each Fall/ Spring semester. This hold will prevent seniors from enrolling in any courses until the senior meets with their major advisor.

GPA:

Any student with a GPA below 2.000 will also have to see their advisor before enrolling in courses.

We congratulate Glass Mountain, the undergraduate literary journal, on their 10th Anniversary!



Honors Day/Graduation

Congratulations to all of our graduating seniors and our students honored this year at Honors Day!

SIGMA TAU DELTA INDUCTEES 2017

Sofia Ahmed	Ashley Guidry	Grace Mazcuri	Ana Sanchez
Aldo Charles	Mary Higdon	Amanda Ortiz	Thomas Santos
Amulfo Diaz	Dustin Jackson	Elsa Pair	Peter Scamardo
Monica Espinoza	William Littlejohn-Oram	Michael Patten	Alicia Smith
Christina Graham		Denise Posa	

PHI BETA KAPPA INDUCTEES 2017

Vanessa Berumen	Silvia Romo-Duarte
Rachel Catney	Cheryl Ross
Rachel Cecil	

ENGLISH DEPARTMENT GRADUATES 2016-2017

Collins Adams	Joel Domingue	Jonathan Marin**	Colin Sturdevant
Mary Ahagbuje**	Cody Durain	Victoria Martinez	Brionne Thompson
Patrick Alcalá	Jonathon Elsik*	McKenzie Maze	Kaitlin Trahan
Tyler Al-Obaidi*	Jassive Esquivel	Raven Moore	Idongesit Usen
Rossanne Arii**	Joy Ewere**	Torian Neal	Marissa Van Dusen
Lillian Arriaga*	Marissa Eymard	Jennifer Newton	Dusen
Sarah Backer***	Jered Fanning	Dan Nguyen	Michel Vidal
Elizabeth Beaver	Lauren Forester	Nina Nino**	My Vo
William Beck*	Matthew Fries	Christina Oliva*	Kathryn Weems
Vanessa Berumen**	John Fulstone*	Michael Patten*	Dakota Wens
Celestina Billington	Natalie Galvan**	Kathy Pham*	Krystal Williams
Layla Bispo	Andrea Garza	Denise Posa*	
Lindsey Blasingame	Dominique Gibbs	Jonni Powers	
Leonid Bulaev	John Gilmore	Gillian Reingold	<i>*Cum Laude</i>
Channan Burns	Jorge Gomez**	Geronimo Rodriguez**	
Kimberley Burt	Marissa Gonzalez*	Mark Rogers*	<i>**Magna Cum Laude</i>
Nataly Cantero-Reyes**	Natalie Grajeda*	Silvia Romo-Duarte*	
LeeAnne Carlson*	Maria Guerra	Jadsia Roopchand***	<i>***Summa Cum Laude</i>
Rachel Catney*	Margaret Guttman	Cheryl Ross	
Rachel Cecil	Mary Higdon	Nereyda Rubio	
Yi-Shan Chen**	Emily Hinkle	Reina Ruiz	
Shelby Clark	Mitchell Hoffman*	Omar Salinas*	
Breanna Cleveland*	Dylan Hunt	Sara Samora	
Chandler Coffing	Kathryn Hurst	Virginia Sanchez	
Dillan Dailey	Jay Hyatt	Kelly Schaffer	
Joanne Damian**	Travis Kane**	Kaitlyn Schuetz*	
Phylicia Davidson	Rhale Kelley	Jonathan Sload***	
Numera Dehri	Nina King	Alicia Smith	
Stephanie Dillehay	April Lim**	Gerald Smith**	
	Tristan Manuel	Elizabeth Stravoski***	